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### **NURSING HOMES**

The DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AID adopted an amendment for "Long Term Care Reimbursement Changes" (89 Ill Adm Code 153), effective 11/24/04. A companion emergency rulemaking became effective 7/1/04. For fiscal year 2005, the rulemaking increases by 3% the reimbursement rates for skilled nursing facilities and intermediate care facilities (SNF/ICF). The rulemaking also revises the capital rate calculation for these facilities by including the allowable cost of certain building improvements in the original building base cost. DPA states that this change will benefit nursing facilities with long-term leases that have made significant capital improvements. Changes in this rulemaking since 1<sup>st</sup> Notice delete proposed text applicable to a prospective federal waiver provision that would have impacted rates had it become effective in FY04. Further changes delete text that conflicts with the new rate referenced above that was established by Public Act 93-841, effective 7/30/04. Those affected by this rulemaking include Medicaid-funded nursing facilities.

### **CHILD SUPPORT**

DPA adopted an amendment for "Child Support Enforcement" (89 Ill Adm Code 160), effective 11/24/04. A companion emergency rulemaking became effective 7/1/04. In order to implement the Service Members Civil Relief Act (SCRA), DPA will appoint counsel for certain military service members who are non-custodial parents when a DPA administrative hearing involves that person's child. The appointed attorney will locate the military member, advise the parent of his or her rights, and request a stay if the member's military duties materially affect his or her ability to participate in the case. According to the DPA, SCRA applies to persons in the military, including reservists and National Guard members, called to active duty by the President or the Governor to respond to a national emergency declared by the President and supported by federal funds. Those affected by this rulemaking include attorneys.

### **MENTAL ILLNESS**

DPA also adopted amendments for "Medical Payment" (89 Ill Adm Code

### **CHILDREN'S HEALTH**


The DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH proposed amendments for rules titled "Child Health Examination Code" (77 Ill Adm Code 665) to significantly revise the Part. The rulemaking updates statutory citations, defines terms used throughout the Part, lists referenced materials, and allows certain health examinations to be performed by and signed by an advanced practice nurse who has a written collaborative agreement with a physician or by a physician assistant who has been delegated to do so by his or her supervising physician. Concerning lead poisoning, screening will be performed on children 6 months through 6 years of age if they live in an area defined by DPH as high-risk. Children residing in low-risk areas will be assessed for risk by a Department-developed procedure, and children 6 years and older will be screened during their regularly scheduled health examinations if, in the judgment of the examining health care professional, the children are potentially at high risk. In addition, results of a tuberculosis skin test must be included on the Certificate of Child Health Examination form. Children are required to present proof to their local school authorities that they have received the immunizations against preventable communicable diseases that are required by this Part. That proof is contained on the Certificate of Child

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**NEW REGULATIONS:** Rules adopted by agencies this week.

**PROPOSED REGULATIONS:** Rules proposed by agencies this week, commencing a 45-day First Notice period. Public comments must be accepted by the agency for the period of time indicated.

 : Symbol designating rules of special interest to small businesses, small municipalities, and not-for-profit corporations. Agencies are required to consider comments from these groups and minimize the regulatory burden on them.

**QUESTIONS/COMMENTS/RULE TEXT:** Direct mail or phone calls to the agency personnel listed below each summary. Providing volume and issue number of The Flinn Report or the Illinois Register will expedite the process. Some agencies charge copying fees. However, copy requests do not have to be made under the Freedom of Information Act.

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140) and "Hospital Services" (89 Ill Adm Code 148), both effective 11/22/04 to implement Public Act 93-495. Companion emergency rulemakings for each became effective 7/1/04. The rulemakings establish the Screening, Assessment and Support Services program (SASS) under a multi-agency contract covering DPA, the Department of Children and Family Services, and the Department of Human Services to provide a single, State-wide system of screening, assessment, and support services to children with a mental illness or emotional disorder who are at risk of psychiatric hospitalization and whose care requires public funding. Applicable standards are referenced in DHS rules for Parts 131 and 132. Part 148 amendments also establish hospital reimbursement and utilization review for the SASS community-based mental health services. Concerning rural adjustment payments, changes are made to the definitions of "inpatient payments" and "outpatient payments" that, according to DPA, exclude the previous year's payments and result in a "limited redistribution" of funding. Further amendments to hospital outpatient and clinic services decrease reimbursements for outpatient procedures in the categories of surgical groups, diagnostic and therapeutic groups, emergency department services, and observational services. In addition, for Cook County-owned hospitals, reimbursement rates for each of the reduced reimbursement groups and reimbursement rates for psychiatric treatment services, which are not being reduced, will have a multiplier of 2.856 rather than 2.72. (Due to a publication error, the proposed rulemaking text did not show the multiplier change to 2.856. A Notice of Publication Error later corrected this oversight.) A proposed amendment to add new Alzheimer funding provisions to replace those funded by direct hospital adjustments under critical hospital adjustment payments (CHAP) was not adopted. Those affected by these 2 rulemakings include mental health service providers, hospitals providing inpatient psychiatric

services, and Medicaid-funded hospitals and clinics.

*Questions/requests for copies of the 4 DPA rulemakings above: Joanne Scattoloni, DPA, 201 S. Grand Ave. E., 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl., Springfield IL 62763-0002, 217/524-0081.*

## MOTOR FUELS

The DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE adopted amendments for rules titled "Weights and Measures Act" (8 Ill Adm Code 600), 11/22/04, to revise rules regarding motor fuel labeling, measuring, and pricing. The rulemaking repeals obsolete sections that allow the use of gasoline pumps incapable of computing prices exceeding 99.9¢ per gallon and repeal companion regulations pertaining to half-gallon pricing. Text specifying the required dimensions for fractions within pricing information displayed on advertising signs is stricken, also. Petroleum product marketers and gasoline station owners and operators are affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: Linda Rhodes, DOA, State Fairgrounds, Springfield IL 62794-9281, 217/785-5713, Fax 217/785-4505.*

## **ADOPTION POLICY**

The DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES adopted amendments for "Department Advisory Groups" (89 Ill Adm Code 428), effective 11/30/04, to implement Public Act 93-189, which requires the Department to establish a "Confidential Intermediary Council" to facilitate the development of rules, procedures, and forms to be used in the new confidential intermediary process. The rulemaking defines "confidential intermediary" as a person appointed by the court who is given access to various adoption-related records and other confidential information in order to identify and locate a petitioner's birth relative. If the birth relative is located and agrees to communication or contact, the intermediary is responsible

for the confidentiality of all parties being maintained. Steps in the process to be considered by the Council include certification, training, and oversight of intermediaries; the relationship between confidential intermediaries and the courts; and formulation of viable discipline and remediation in the event of violations.

*Questions/requests for copies: Jeff Osowski, DCFS, 406 E. Monroe, Station #65, Springfield IL 62701-1498, 217/524-1983, TTY 217/524-3715, E-mail: cfpolicy@idcfs.state.il.us*

## UTILITIES

The ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION adopted amendments for rules titled "Annual Reports" (83 Ill Adm Code 210), effective 12/1/04, to add telecommunications carriers to those utilities that are required to make annual reports to the Commission. Further amendments specify that the necessary forms for filing annual reports are available on paper or electronically, and the reports must be filed within 3 months after the end of the year for which the report is made. In addition, statutory citations are updated, and the title of the Part is shortened to "Annual Reports". Public utilities and telephone companies that are small businesses are affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: Conrad Rubinkowski, ICC, 527 E. Capitol Ave., Springfield IL 62701, 217/785-3922.*

## **GIFTED STUDENTS**

The STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION repealed a Part titled "Gifted Education" (23 Ill Adm Code 227) and adopted amendments for "Summer School for Gifted and Remedial Education" (23 Ill Adm Code 230) and "Regional Offices of Education and Intermediate Services" (23 Ill Adm Code 525), all effective 11/22/04. The rulemakings implement Public Act 93-21, which repeals the Illinois School Code's "gifted children" program in its entirety. Part 227 is repealed, and

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text related to that program within the other 2 Parts is stricken. Other changes in Part 230 update statutory citations and make several nonsubstantive revisions.

## DRIVER EDUCATION

SBE also adopted an amendment for "Driver Education" (23 Ill Adm Code 252), effective 11/22/04, to implement Public Act 93-55, which provides that claims for reimbursement under the Driver Education Act shall be made under oath or affirmation of the chief school administrator for the district or authorized driver education personnel employed by the school board. Previous rules stated that reimbursement claims must be made under oath or affirmation of the president or acting president of the school board and the chief school district administrator.

*Questions/requests for copies of the 4 SBE rulemakings above: Dana Kinley (217/557-7323) for Parts 227 and 230, Donna Luallen (217/782-2948) for Part 525, and Tim Imler (217/782-5256) for Part 252, SBE, 100 N. First St., Springfield IL 62777, 217/782-5270, E-mail: rules@isbe.net*

## DEER HUNTING

The DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES adopted amendments for "Late-Winter Deer Hunting Season" (17 Ill Adm Code 680), effective 11/19/04. The rulemaking changes the title of the Part, which previously was "White-Tailed Deer Hunting by Use of Handguns", because, beginning this season, these rules are not limited to handgun deer hunting only. References to "handgun" hunting rules are changed to "late-winter", the restriction of late-winter deer hunting permits to hunters 18 years of age or older is stricken, and a hunter participating in the Department's Chronic Surveillance Program will be issued a free permit for the same county or special hunt area for the following year if the hunter's deer tests positive for chronic wasting disease. Because the season is no longer limited to

handguns, regulations are added to address permissible firearms, legal ammunition, and standards for muzzleloading firearms. Also, hunters who hold an unused free landowner/tenant deer permit may use it during the late-winter season, but only on lands owned or leased by the permit holder and only for antlerless deer. Violations of this provision are a Class B misdemeanor.

*Questions/requests for copies: Jack Price, DNR, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield IL 62702-1271, 217/782-1809.*

## PROPERTY TAXES

The DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE adopted an amendment for rules titled "Property Tax Code" (86 Ill Adm Code 110), effective 11/17/04, to implement Public Act 93-643. Beginning with the 2010 federal decennial census, in counties with populations between 50,000 and 3 million, when population has risen above or fallen below the 50,000 mark, the rulemaking explains which year's population count will be used to judge whether an assessing official meets the eligibility criteria for a \$3,000 bonus. The rulemaking also extends the time frame for a qualified assessing official to submit his or her application for the additional performance-based compensation from 60 days after the tentative equalization factor is certified to the county to 60 days after the original hearing in the county for that tentative equalization factor. Procedures are provided for trending techniques to use when there is an insufficient number of sales for a sales ratio study, an incorporation by reference is updated, and years are updated in cited examples.

*Questions/requests for copies: Mark Dyckman, DOR, Legal Services Office, 101 W. Jefferson, Springfield IL 62794, 217/782-2844.*

## LIBRARY GRANTS

The SECRETARY OF STATE adopted

amendments for "Public Library Construction Grants" (23 Ill Adm Code 3060), effective 12/1/04, to decrease this grant program's funding levels and make other substantive changes. Energy conservation is added to the projects eligible for mini-grants, and the rulemaking clarifies that no local match is required for any mini-grants. Grant construction projects must be finished and documented with a close-out report within 24 months of the contract's initial execution rather than 90 days after project completion unless an extension is granted by the Illinois State Library director. Failure to satisfy this requirement will result in grant forfeiture. A new section specifies that grants of \$50,000 or less will be paid out in a lump sum and lists specific reports required of the grantees as the projects progress. The dollar range previously specified for mini-grants (\$5,000 to \$50,000) is cut in half, and the maximum allowable remodeling grant for accessibility is reduced from \$150,000 to \$50,000. The separate maximum threshold for "technology wiring" projects is eliminated, and technology wiring is included under mini-grant projects and projects for new construction, additions, remodeling, and building conversions to libraries. Public libraries that apply for grants and contractors hired for subsequent library construction projects will be affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: Joseph Natale, Illinois State Library, Springfield IL 62701-1796, 217/558-4185, E-mail: jnatale@ilsos.net*

## STATE EMPLOYEES

The STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF ILLINOIS adopted an amendment for "The Administration and Operation of the State Employees' Retirement System of Illinois" (80 Ill Adm Code 1540), effective 11/18/04. A companion emergency amendment became effective 7/1/04. The rulemaking increases the retiree's gainful employment threshold applicable to occupational, nonoccupational

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tional, or temporary disability benefits from \$700 in any month to \$810. SERS states that this periodic adjustment mirrors the federal change in the Social Security gainful employment limit, which is based upon changes in the federal Consumer Price Index for Urban Consumers.

*Questions/requests for copies: Patrick Cummings, SERS, 2101 S. Veterans Pkwy., Springfield IL 62794-9255, 217/785-7260.*

## COMMERCIAL VANS

The DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION adopted an amendment for "Motor Carrier Safety Regulations: General" (92 Ill Adm Code 390), effective 11/19/04, to implement Public Act 93-860. A companion emergency amendment became effective 8/18/04. The Act expands the definition of "commercial motor vehicle" to include a vehicle used or designed to transport between 9 and 15 passengers, including the driver, for direct compensation if the vehicle is operated beyond a radius of 75 air miles (86.3 statute miles or 138.9 kilometers) from the driver's "normal work reporting location". Therefore, such vehicles and their drivers must now meet the maintenance and safety standards that are specified in this Part through the incorporation by reference of federal regulations. Those affected by this rulemaking include vehicle owners and drivers of the category of vehicles specified above.

*Questions/requests for copies: Catherine Allen, DOT, 3215 Executive Park Dr., 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl., Springfield IL 62794-9212, 217/785-1181.*

## OVERSIZE/OVERWEIGHT VEHICLE PERMITS

The DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION adopted amendments for rules titled "Oversize and Overweight Permit Movements on State Highways" (92 Ill Adm Code 554), effective 11/19/04, to make substantive revisions concerning DOT approval for the move-

ment of vehicles or loads that exceed legal maximum dimensions or weights on Illinois highways. A DOT e-mail address is added for handling questions regarding permits or permit policies, single-trip permit movements are not allowed later than noon on the day before a holiday, and a provision that DOT will not issue round-trip permits when the size or weight of the object being moved is above statutorily specified limitations is stricken. Homogeneous oversize items may qualify for a limited continuous operation permit; supplemental permits are clarified; and a permit may not be revised to change the make and model of a load, add a scale designation (weigh station) for verifying axles and gross weight, or change the type of permit. The amendments provide guidance concerning which permits may be applied for by which methods and also specify that applications to move loads not exceeding the posted physical capacity limits on highways and bridges may also be applied for via the internet. The addresses for submitting various applications are updated and include a corrected mailing address, a website address, and applicable telephone and fax numbers. The rulemaking strikes the provision that movement of a load either one day before a permit's effective date or one day after its expiration date is not a violation of this Part. A maximum height of 14'6" and a gross weight of 120,000 lbs. are added to currently specified width limits for oversize movements on toll highways, and the required permit for movement on State highways leading to and from a toll road must be obtained prior to purchasing a toll road permit. Overweight moves of 230,000 lbs. or more are added to the list of moves requiring an Illinois State Police escort. Another new provision specifies that if the load on the moving vehicle blocks the visibility of the required amber lights at the rear of the vehicle, the vehicle must also be equipped with rotating or flashing amber lights on the rear of the load. Although oversize movements must be made over the routes listed on the permit, drivers

are allowed to deviate from the assigned route in observance of construction restrictions or official signs directing the driver to a scale. If the posted size and weight limits on the route originally approved by the DOT permit office preclude the use of the originally requested verification scale, the permittee will be routed to the 1<sup>st</sup> certified scale located within the assigned route. That scale must either be located within 25 miles of the movement's origin or no more than 1/3 of the total distance of the permitted route, whichever distance is less. If any single axle on off-road overweight construction equipment weighs more than 30,000 lbs., no structures may be crossed. The rulemaking also cross-references transport rules for width-exempt loads of farm implements. Payment for permit fees may be made by credit card, and a permittee must notify all Illinois State Police districts listed on the permit at least 24 hours in advance of a move. Small businesses, small municipalities, and not-for-profit corporations engaged in transporting oversize/overweight loads may be affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: David Johnson, DOT, 2300 S. Dirksen Pkwy., Rm. 009, Springfield IL 62764, 217/782-2984.*

## TOLL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY

ILLINOIS STATE TOLL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY adopted a new Part titled "Governmental Organization" (2 Ill Adm Code 3400), effective 11/22/04, in accordance with the required rulemaking provisions of Section 5-15 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act. The rulemaking specifies the organizational structure of the Authority, procedures for requesting ISTHA public records and making Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests, and copying fees. An additional provision explains the steps by which an individual may request that the Authority adopt a new rule or change a current ISTHA rule.

*Questions/requests for copies: Robert*

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*T. Lane, ISTHA, 2700 Ogden Ave., Downers Grove IL 60515, 630/241-6800 (ext. 1530), Fax 630/271-7559.*

## EXHIBITS ON STATE PROPERTY

The DEPARTMENT OF CENTRAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES adopted an amendment for "Acquisition, Management and Disposal of Real Property" (44 Ill Adm Code 5000) by emergency rulemaking, effective 11/17/04,

for a maximum of 150 days. The rulemaking strikes the prohibition against placing an exhibit (a static display of material, including but not limited to, art work, photographs, or historical displays) in specified State buildings if the exhibit promotes religious philosophies or political candidates or philosophies. The State buildings affected by this rulemaking are DCMS-managed State office buildings in Peoria, Springfield, Champaign,

Des Plaines, Marion, East St. Louis, Rockford, Elgin, and Chicago. Individuals or groups seeking to place exhibits in the State buildings referenced above may be affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: Gina Wilson (217/785-1793) or Jeff Schuck (217/782-5578), DCMS, 720 Stratton Office Bldg., Springfield IL 62706.*

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Health Examination form signed by the individual who administered the required immunizations. Children not receiving immunization against varicella (chicken pox) must be added to the list of non-immunized students. Diabetes screening is added as a required part of each health examination, and testing is recommended for a child every 2 years, starting at age 10 or at the onset of puberty, if he or she is overweight and shows 2 of the listed risk factors. Those affected by this rulemaking include preschools, nursery schools, and other child care programs licensed or approved by the State, as well as local health departments, physicians, and other health care providers.

*Questions/requests for copies/comments until 1/18/05: Susan Meister, DPH, 535 W. Jefferson St., 5<sup>th</sup> Fl., Springfield IL 62761, 217/782-2043, E-mail: rules@idph.state.il.us*

## TRANSFER STUDENTS

The STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION proposed an amendment for "Student Records" (23 Ill Adm Code 375) to implement Public Act 93-859, which requires the Board to establish a system to accurately track transfer students. The rulemaking specifies that a student will be counted as a dropout in the calculation of a school's or school district's annual student dropout rate if, within 150 days after the

student leaves that school, the school or district has not received documentation that he or she is enrolled in another school. A request by the new school system for the transferring student's academic transcripts or medical records shall be considered adequate enrollment documentation.

*Questions/requests for copies/comments until 1/18/05: Sally Vogl, ISBE, 100 N. First St., W-475, Springfield IL 62777-0001, 217/782-5270, E-mail: rules@isbe.net*

## RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS

The ILLINOIS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY proposed repealing rules titled "Transportation of Radioactive Material" (32 Ill Adm Code 341) and replacing them with a new Part titled "Radioactive Materials Transportation" with the same Part number. According to the Agency, the existing rules are obsolete and no longer consistent with requirements imposed by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the U.S. Department of Transportation. The new rules apply to each licensee who transports licensed radioactive material outside the site that is authorized to possess and use such material, transports the material on public highways, or delivers it to a carrier for transport. The rulemaking provides incorporations by reference of the most recent applicable federal regulations and defini-

tions, general license requirements, recordkeeping procedures, and required reporting. Those affected by this rulemaking include businesses licensed to transport certain radioactive materials.

*Questions/requests for copies/comments until 1/18/05: Kevin McClain, IEMA, 1035 Outer Park Dr., Springfield IL 62704, 217/524-0770, TDD 217/782-6133.*

## PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

The DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES proposed amendments for "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families" (89 Ill Adm Code 112) to update statutory citations, reflect the name change of the Immigration/Naturalization Service to the Department of Homeland Security, and strike the requirement that a client must be present during his or her annual eligibility redetermination and Responsibility and Services Plan revision.

*Questions/requests for copies/comments until 1/18/05: Tracie Drew, DHS, 100 S. Grand Ave. E., 3<sup>rd</sup> Fl., Springfield IL 62762, 217/785-9772.*

## MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

The DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS proposed an amendment for "Health Care" (20 Ill Adm Code 415). A companion emergency amendment

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became effective 10/1/04. The rulemaking reflects an interagency agreement between the departments of Children and Family Services, Corrections, Human Services, and Public Aid and specifies that community mental health services offered through DOC for juveniles released on parole or mandatory supervised release will be provided in accordance with DHS rules at 59 Ill Adm Code 132. (See the 8/13/04 *Flinn Report* for adoption of Part 132 amendments.) The rulemaking specifies that mental health services must be provided by entities that are Medicaid-certified and whose programs are monitored and reviewed by the appropriate State agencies. Mental health service providers who are enrolled in the Medicaid Community Mental Health Services Program may be affected by this rulemaking. (See this issue of the *Flinn Report* for related DPA adopted amendments.)

*Questions/requests for copies/comments until 1/18/05: Beth Kiel, DOC, 1301 Concordia Ct., Springfield IL 62794-9277, 217/522-2666, ext. 6511.*

### NUTRITION LABELING

The DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE adopted peremptory amendments for rules titled "Meat and Poultry Inspection Act" (8 Ill Adm Code 125), effective 11/30/04, to incorporate by reference recently adopted federal amendments for this program. The rulemaking changes the definition of "meal-type" products to allow for nutrient content claims on multiple-serve food containers, adds a definition for "main-dish" products to provide consistency with federal Food and Drug Administration (FDA) requirements, and specifies how both types of these products must be nutritionally labeled. (The federal Food Safety and Inspection Service regulates meat and poultry product labeling, and the FDA regulates all other food labeling.) A "meal-type" product is defined as one that makes a significant contribution to the diet by weighing 6 to 12 ounces per serving (entire container); contains ingredients from 2 or more of the 4 food groups (breads and cereals, fruits and vegetables, dairy, and protein); and is

represented as, or is in a form commonly understood to be, a breakfast, lunch, dinner, meal, main dish, entrée, or pizza. "Main-dish" products are defined as food that makes a major contribution to the meal by weighing at least 6 ounces per labeled serving; contains not less than 40 grams of food, or combinations of foods from 2 or more of the 4 food groups listed above; and is represented as a main dish (e.g., not a beverage or dessert). According to DOA, the changes in definitions allow nutrient content claims on qualifying products to be based on 100 grams of product rather than on serving size, which is based on the "reference amounts customarily consumed" for the food components. Small businesses that manufacture and offer for sale multi-serve, meal-type or main dish meat and poultry products are affected by this rulemaking.

*Questions/requests for copies: Linda Rhodes, DOA, State Fairgrounds, Springfield IL 62794-9281, 217/785-5713, Fax 217/785-4505.*

## NEW JCAR WEBSITE ADDRESS

On December 1, 2004 the Illinois General Assembly's domain name for e-mail purposes changed from legis.state.il.us to ilga.gov. Therefore, all JCAR e-mail should now be sent to jcar@ilga.gov. Our website on the internet will also change to www.ilga.gov/ commission/jcar on December 18, 2004.

## **Second Notices**

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The following rulemakings were moved to second notice this week by the agencies listed below, commencing the JCAR review period. The rulemakings will be considered at JCAR's 12/14/04 JCAR meeting in Chicago with the exception of the rulemakings for DNR and ISAC, which will be considered at JCAR's 1/11/05 meeting in Springfield.

### **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AID**

"Medical Payment" (89 Ill Adm Code 140) proposed 8/27/04 (28 Ill Reg 12066)

"Specialized Health Care Delivery Systems" (89 Ill Adm Code 146) proposed 8/27/04 (28 Ill Reg 12069)

"Hospital Services" (89 Ill Adm Code 148) proposed 10/8/04 (28 Ill Reg 13324)

"Medical Assistance Programs" (89 Ill Adm Code 120) proposed 9/17/04 (28 Ill Reg 12776)

### **SECRETARY OF STATE**

"Issuance of Licenses" (92 Ill Adm Code 1030) proposed 9/17/04 (28 Ill Reg 12792)

### **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

Repeal of "Rulemaking Procedures" (92 Ill Adm Code 102) proposed 10/8/04 (28 Ill Reg 13339)

"Specifications for Tank Cars" (92 Ill Adm Code 179) proposed 10/8/04 (28 Ill Reg 13345)

### **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS**

"Procedures of the Department of Human Rights" (56 Ill Adm Code 2520) proposed 10/8/04 (28 Ill Reg 13316)

"Americans with Disabilities Act Grievance Procedure" (4 Ill Adm Code 1150) proposed 10/8/04 (28 Ill Reg 13309)

### **DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

"Injurious Species" (17 Ill Adm Code 805) proposed 9/10/04 (28 Ill Reg 12554)

### **ILLINOIS STUDENT ASSISTANCE COMMISSION**

"Illinois Veteran Grant (IVG) Program" (23 Ill Adm Code 2733) proposed 9/17/04 (28 Ill Reg 12816)

"Americans with Disabilities Act Grievance Procedure" (4 Ill Adm Code 1400) proposed 9/24/04 (28 Ill Reg 12985)

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